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In re application of:

**Robert Fischer, et al.**

Application No.: 09/812,283

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LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Pursuant to the Office Communication dated April 15, 2003, applicant submits five sheets of formal drawings to be made of record in the above-identified case.

Respectfully submitted,

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